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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER'S DECISION
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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Examiner mailed October 5, 2001, finally rejecting pending claims 109-122 in connection with the above-identified application.

Applicants are concurrently filing a Petition for a three-month extension of time in which to respond to the October 5, 2001 Office Action. With a three-month extension of time, a response to the October 5, 2001 Office Action is due April 5, 2002. Therefore, the subject application is pending on April 5, 2002 and this Notice of Appeal is being timely filed.

The required fee for filing a Notice of Appeal under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) is ONE HUNDRED SIXTY DOLLARS (\$160.00), and a check for this amount is enclosed.

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No fee, other than the ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY DOLLAR (\$160.00) fee for filing a Notice of Appeal, is deemed necessary. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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